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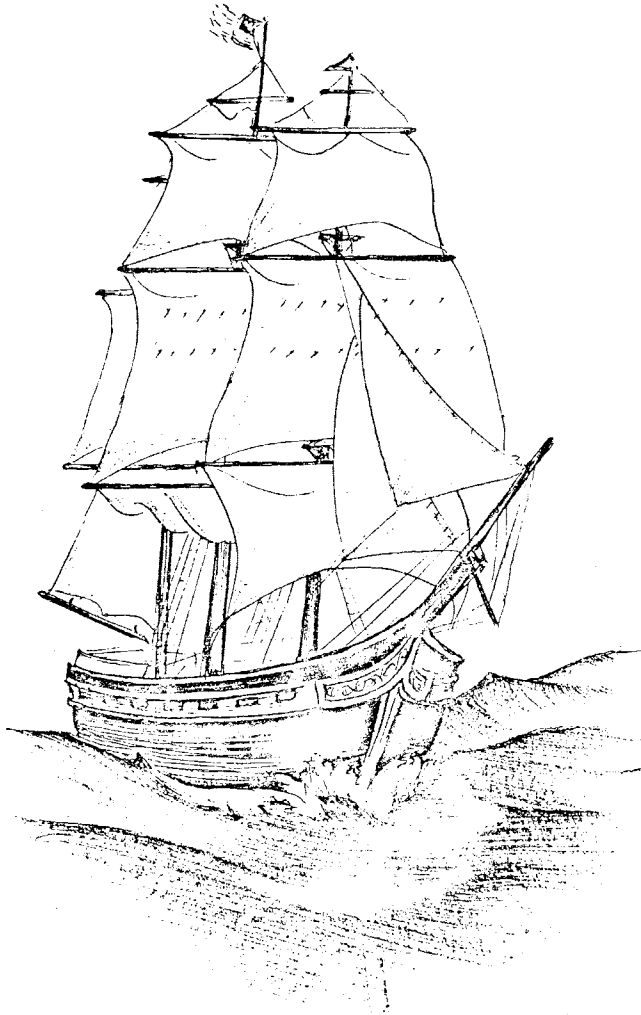


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EDITOR'S

NOTE:



CORRESPONDENTS AND ADVERTISERS PLEASE NOTE.....

Next months issue will be for December and January so be sure to send your news and schedules for December, January and the first week of February. NOVEMBER 10th is the deadline date.

We would like to thank everyone for the excellent response to the deadline for this past month. Your cooperation makes our job easier. Thanks

We also want to thank you for the good response to the subscription form. Almost everyone used it.

We also appreciate the clubs that collected and turned in subscriptions for their members.

ATTENTION!

The PROMENADER is YOUR square dance newspaper. We would welcome a column on: Mainstream dancing, Styling, Dance Identification or any other topic which would be of interest to the Square Dance community.

If you have some thoughts you would like to share with others, please send them to us by the 10th of the month.

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SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

This special calendar of events is a project of the Rochester Area Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs. It's purpose is to aid area clubs in planning their activities and to avoid the conflict of big events on the same dates.

Dates already booked for special events
 (National Callers, etc.)

1977	1978	
	January - 1	April - 1
November - 12, 13,	January - 6	April - 15
16, 18, 29	January - 12	April - 21
	January - 21	May - 6 DOR
	February - 4	May - 19
	March - 7	October - 22

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Next Federation Meeting - -

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH
 8 PM sharp

NOV. 17th

ALL CLUBS SHOULD BE REPRESENTED



FEDERATION NEWS

The agenda for the second Federation meeting (October 19, 1977) was as follows:

- 7:30 to 8:00 Sip and Socialize
- 8:00 to 8:15 Call to order and officers reports
- 8:15 to 8:30 Old business--reports of special committees--DOR '78
- 8:30 to 8:45 New business
- 8:45 to 10:00 Panel discussion of Callerlab dance identification
- 10:00 Adjournment

The panel of callers at the meeting, to explain dance identification and answer any questions from the floor, were: Jerry Carmen, Ed Butenhof, Bruce Shaw, and Peg and Myron Huss.

22 Clubs were present.

The following clubs were not present: Boots 'n Slippers Friendship Squares of Geneva, Henrietta Friendship Sqs., Kuntry Kuzzins, Lima Grand Squares, Jack of Hearts, Rochester Rollaways, Spinning Wheels, Swinging BB, Swingin' Eights, Singing Squares, Techumseh Squares and Which Way Whirlers, Village Squares.



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Last month I wrote about dancing in Ompah, Canada. It certainly was unusual square dancing but it was nothing compared to the dance I went to in Mexico City. Yep, I went to a Mexican square dance. I didn't actually dance myself and I'm glad I didn't because they got real mad when anybody goofed, why they, but now I'm getting ahead of my story.

It was a Sunday afternoon when I asked a man on the street, "Does anybody square dance here, if so where?" At first he didn't understand my Spanish, so I shuffled my feet several times. He brightened up and said, "Si, Si, Senior." Obviously he meant C-2 level dance. He then pointed to a large building at the end of the avenue. I bought a ticket for ten pesos and went in.

Well, this was different! C-2 level? it was more like ground level. The building was a large open amphitheater and I had paid to see a demonstration. Actually, almost everything was different. There were four seniors, who were dressed magnificently. They wore beautiful sequined vests and they all carried bright red capes. There were no senioras or senioritas, but instead, now get this, they danced with a well trained he-cow!

Trumpets blaired, the band played. The first senior to dance was Juan Margarita. He came to the center of the field and the he-cow came to meet him. The crowd was shouting calls in Spanish, like "O Lay" which probably meant Do Sa Do because senior Juan would gracefully wave his cape and the he-cow would Do Sa Do around him. They were doing some beautiful dancing until the he-cow was supposed to Do Sa Do, instead he goofed and tried to Star Thru.

The senior got real mad and the next time the he-cow tried to Star Thru the senior Juan pulled out a long knife and stuck him with it. Now the he-cow got mad and did something like a Centers in and Cast off and he tossed the senior right over the wall. The man next to me commented, "I tink el toro made a hole in Juan." What has golf got to do with it?

Well, as I wrote above, I was glad I didn't get into that set. In the first place, nobody should get that mad if somebody goofs and in the second place, Si Si-2 is not my level.

Mucho gracias, anyway,

Jal Abberger



WANTED

One female "steady" square dance partner, with a pair of good legs for square dancing 4 nights (or more) a week. I don't smoke or drink. Height and weight, no problem. Either divorcee, widow or old maid. Age 38 to 50. "This is no joke". Call between 4:00 PM and 6:00 PM. Must live on West side of city. 638-8779.

JANUARY 21, 1978

The Federation will be promoting a dance January 21, 1978 for all the classes. It will be held at W. Irondequoit High School with Chuck Prister calling. Donations optional. Please inform your classes.





Non-Federation Notes

COUNTRY DANCERS OF ROCHESTER - St. Thomas Episcopal church, Highland Avenue, corner S. Winton. 8-11 PM. October 27 - Rich Castner (L.M.) come in costume for Halloween party; November 3 - Ed Butenhof; 10 - Ceidlen Skidmore (L.M.); 17 - Rich Castner; 23 - no dance, Happy Thanksgiving. For information call Barb Butenhof 244-1375. (L.M. live music nights) SPECIAL: Dec. 2 (Fri) Don Armstrong - place to be announced.

COUNTRY DANCE WEEKEND IN BINGHAMTON, NY with Don Armstrong of the Lloyd Shaw Foundation at the Ramada Inn on Thanksgiving weekend featuring contras and quadrilles. Call the Butenhofs.

BITS AND PIECES...a different kind of dance club. Ed Butenhof will teach and call. Please look for our "ad". Friday nights 7:30 to 10:30 at Brookside School in Brighton. 220 Idlewood. Dress Western or casual.

CIRCUL-8-ORS Square Dance Club - November 27 and December 11* - Sunday dances - 2:00 to 5:00 PM, Green Lantern Inn, Fairport. Don Pratt, caller. *Christmas Dinner Dance - Paid reservations only.

THE CARROUSELS round dance club will meet Sunday night November 20th 7:30 - 9:30 PM, at the Genesee County Coop. Extension Bldg., 420 E. Main St., Batavia (next to Pizza Hut) "Ron" Fotch, cueing.

COUNTRY SWINGERS square dance club dancing every Thursday night, Morton Fire Hall, Rt. #272, Morton, NY. 8:30 - 11:00 PM Ron Fotch, calling. The group is planning their first big dance, a Christmas Ball, for class and club members on Sunday, December 11, 7:00 to 10:30 PM, at the Fancher campus.

R.F. SQUARES dance the 2nd and 4th Sunday nights each month (November 13 and November 27th) at the Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave. Ron Fotch calling rounds and squares. "Modern square dancing at its best" dance 7:30 to 10:00 PM.

HAPPY NOTES (very relaxed dancing) - November 2 & 16, Covenant United Methodist Church, 1124 Culver Road, 8:00-10:30 PM...Caller Mike Callahan, 392-3807.

CHIP KELLOGG Mainstream plus 1 & 2 workshop with singing calls. At the new U.S. Army Reserve center (Old West Webster Grade School) on the Old Ridge Rd. between Bay Road and Empire Blvd. All club level dancers welcome November 11, 1977 from 8 'till 10:30 PM.

SHAMROCK SQUARES - Advanced level basics plus experiential. Open to Advanced dancers only. November 1, 8, 22, and 29. Covenant United Methodist Church, 1124 Culver Road, 8:00-10:30 PM. Caller: Mike Callahan, 392-3807.

Next EXPERIMENTAL WORKSHOP dances at the Clarkson Town Hall, corner Rts. 104 & 19, 7:30 - 10:00 PM Sunday NOV 6, 1977 and Sunday DEC 4, 1977. All "Mainstream" level dancers invited. Jerry Carmen, Caller

 * CALLERS LAB MEETING - November 6, 1977 *
 * 2:00 PM Covenant Methodist Church *
 * 1124 Culver Road *
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 * All interested dancers are welcome. *
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 * There will be a discussion of dance problems *
 * between callers and dancers. *
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Contra Corner



An earlier term for contras was Country Dancing, and country dancing included both opposing lines (contras), and square formations.

The squares done in the 17th and 18th centuries, both in Europe and America included figures such as grand square, square through, star through, ladies chain, dosido, and many other familiar movements (not, however, by those names).

Many of these old, tried and true dances are still used in what is now sometimes called traditional square dancing (to differentiate it from the modern version). Contrary to modern myth, these dances were not primarily first couple lead to the right....etc. There were (and are) many such 2 couple dances, but there were many more where all 4 couples were active. They did (and do), however, rely on a limited number of easily learned basics, so that the dances could be taught quickly and last for hundreds of years.

"Modern" square dancing has existed for less than 30 years and has changed almost beyond recognition every 5 years (or less). Is there not something to be said for square dancing that doesn't change, dancing you can come back to and enjoy even after an extended absence, without taking lessons all over again?

Ed Butenhof

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GLORIA ROTH

NOV. 18TH 8:30^{PM} TO 11:00^{PM}

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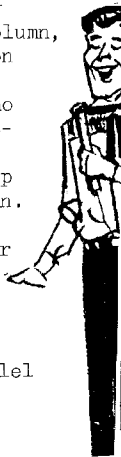
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EXPERIMENTAL WORKSHOP CALL OF THE MONTH

"ANYTHING" EXPLOSION

The call is in two parts; the "anything" is any figure or combination of calls that end in a column, and the EXPLOSION follows. The EXPLOSION action starts from a column. The lead dancer, a girl in a normal column, will stand pat. The boy who is second in the column will step up to the outside (left) of the lead girl to form a couple facing out. The third person, a girl, will step ahead to trade with the girl in the other column. The last boy in the column will step to the outside of the girl ending in front of him after they trade, to form a momentary two-faced line. The action continues with the two-faced line formed extending to face out as the lead couple facing out does a couples trade or wheel across motion to face in, ending with the set in parallel two-faced lines.



EXAMPLES

Heads lead right
circle to a line
curlique-EXPLOSTON
wheel and deal
pass thru, trade by
allamende left

Heads square thru
Swing thru, boys run
cross fire- EXPLOSION
boys circulate; girls trade
wheel and deal
dive thru, square thru 3/4
allamende left

Submitted by: Jerry Carmen
and the Xpermental Workshop Dancers

C. R. O. W. D.

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DANCE-O-RAMA 1977

Many people were involved in DANCE-O-RAMA '77. All the clubs were represented in some way and as a result DANCE-O-RAMA '77 wound up with a fair profit which was turned over to the Federation on Sept. 20. About 1250 dancers attended.

In a joint effort by so many it is almost impossible to name all the people who made this dance such a success, so, I'll just THANK EVERYONE who helped by planning, selling tickets, decorating, setting up, making signs, carrying water, selling ads for the program, security, reception, first aid, sound, pictures, news letters, advice, Promenader, cleanup etc.

John & Daphne Fink
General Chairpersons

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Ed Butenhof calling

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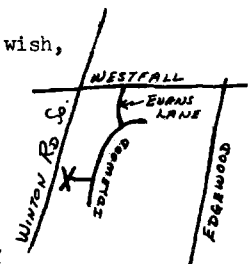
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FEDERATION SQUARE DANCES



SUNDAY

NOVEMBER 1977

6	Cloverleaf Squares	Mike Callahan	Lutheran Church of Concord, 485 Holmes Rd.	8:00
13	Cloverleaf Squares	Mike Callahan	Lutheran Church of Concord, 485 Holmes Rd.	8:00
	Village Squares	Kip Garvey	First United Methodist Church, Fairport	2:00-5:00 N
20	Cloverleaf Squares	Jerry Carmen	Lutheran Church of Concord, 485 Holmes Rd.	8:00
27	Cloverleaf Squares	Chip Kellogg	Lutheran Church of Concord, 485 Holmes Rd.	8:00

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4	Cloverleaf Squares	Mike Callahan	Lutheran Church of Concord, 485 Holmes Rd.	8:00
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MONDAY

NOVEMBER 1977

7	Belles & Beaus	Art Harris	Holmes Road School, 300 Holmes Rd., Greece	8:30 X
	Glass Slippers	Ron Fotch	Campus School, Brockport	8:30 ww
	Merry Mixers	Ben McGilvery	Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Rd.	8:00 R
	Swinging Singles	Jerry Carmen	St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester	8:00 R&
	Village Squares	Dick Casper	First United Methodist Church, Fairport	8:00 R
14	Belles & Beaus	Bob Ellis	Holmes Road School, 300 Holmes Rd., Greece	8:30 X
	Glass Slippers	Ron Fotch	Campus School, Brockport	8:30 J
	Merry Mixers	Jon McNally	Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Rd.	8:00 R
	Swinging Singles	Jerry Carmen	St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester	8:00 R&
	Village Squares	NO DANCE		
21	Belles & Beaus	Art Harris	Holmes Road School, 300 Holmes Rd., Greece	8:30 X
	Glass Slippers	Ron Fotch	Campus School, Brockport	8:30
	Merry Mixers	Ben McGilvery	Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Rd.	8:00 R
	Swinging Singles	Jerry Carmen	St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester	8:00 Tf
	Village Squares	Dick Casper	First United Methodist Church, Fairport	8:00 R
28	Belles & Beaus	Art Harris	Holmes Road School, 300 Holmes Rd., Greece	8:30 X
	Glass Slippers	Ron Fotch	Clarkson Town Hall	8:30
	Merry Mixers	Ben McGilvery	Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Rd.	8:00 R
	Swinging Singles	Jerry Carmen	St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester	8:00 R&
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	Swinging Singles	Jerry Carmen	St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester	8:00 R&
	Village Squares	Dick Casper	First United Methodist Church, Fairport	8:00 R

TUESDAY

NOVEMBER 1977

1	Pioneer Squares	Jon McNally	E. Roch. Pres. Church, 109 East Ave., E. Roch.	8:30 K
	Tecumseh Squares	Bruce Shaw	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00 H
	Triggers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road, Greece	8:00 R
8	Pioneer Squares	Jon McNally	E. Roch. Pres. Church, 109 East Ave., E. Roch.	8:30 K
	Triggers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road, Greece	8:00 R
15	Pioneer Squares	Jon McNally	E. Roch. Pres. Church, 109 East Ave., E. Roch.	8:30 KJ
	Tecumseh Squares	Bruce Shaw	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00
	Triggers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road, Greece	8:00 RG
22	Pioneer Squares	Jon McNally	E. Roch. Pres. Church, 109 East Ave., E. Roch.	8:30 KJ
	Triggers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road, Greece	8:00 RH
29	Pioneer Squares	Jon McNally	E. Roch. Pres. Church, 109 East Ave., E. Roch.	8:30 K
	Tecumseh Squares	Stan Burdick	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00 N
	Triggers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road, Greece	8:00 R

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6	Tecumseh Squares	Bruce Shaw	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00
	Triggers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road, Greece	8:00 R

WEDNESDAY

NOVEMBER 1977

2	Jack of Hearts	Ross Howell	Southlawn School, Rawlinson Ave., Irondequoit	8:00 A
	Rainbow Squares	Ken Boss	Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave.	8:00
	Singing Squares	Al Howe	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Rd.	8:00
	Which Way Whirlers	Gary Bubel	Pavilion Central School, Pavilion	8:00
9	Jack of Hearts	Workshop	Southlawn School, Rawlinson Ave., Irondequoit	8:00 A
	Rainbow Squares	Ken Boss	Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave.	8:00 R
	Singing Squares	Mike Callahan	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Rd.	8:00

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16	Jack of Hearts Rainbow Squares Singing Squares Which Way Whirlers	Ross Howell Ken Boss Al Howe Gary Bubel	Southlawn School, Rawlinson Ave., Irondequoit Harper Park Red. Hall, 702 Linden Ave. Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Rd. Pavilion Central School, Pavilion	8:00 A 8:00 R 8:00 J 8:00 R
23	Jack of Hearts Rainbow Squares Singing Squares	NO DANCE Ken Boss NO DANCE	Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave.	8:00 R
30	Jack of Hearts Rainbow Squares Singing Squares	Workshop Ken Boss Mike Callahan	Southlawn School, Rawlinson Ave., Irondequoit Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave. Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Rd.	8:00 A 8:00 R 8:00

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7	Jack of Hearts Which Way Whirlers	Ross Howell Gary Bubel	Southlawn School, Rawlinson Ave., Irondequoit Pavilion Central School, Pavilion	8:00 A 8:00 R
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THURSDAY NOVEMBER 1977

3	Genesee Dancers Wayne Westerners	Mike Callahan Jeff Elmore	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport Williamson Elementary School, Williamson	8:30 X 8:00
10	Genesee Dancers Wayne Westerners	Mike Callahan Jeff Elmore	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport Williamson Elementary School, Williamson	8:30 X 8:00
17	Genesee Dancers Wayne Westerners	James Adams Jeff Elmore	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport Williamson Elementary School, Williamson	8:00 NX 8:00
24		NO DANCE	H A P P Y T H A N K S G I V I N G	

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1	Genesee Dancers Wayne Westerners	Mike Callahan Jeff Elmore	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport Williamson Elementary School, Williamson	8:30 X 8:00
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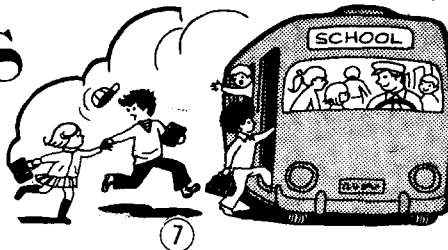
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4	Boots 'n Slippers EKC-O Squares Friendship Sqs. Geneva Lima Grand Squares Promenading B's Web Spinners WYCO Promenaders	Mike Callahan Cliff Brodeur MYSTERY RIDE Dick Casper Ron Fotch Bill Wilcox Chip Kellogg	Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Kodak Park, Building 28 Lima Town Hall, Lima Byron-Bergen Elementary School, Bergen Klem Road School North, Webster Warsaw Elementary School, Warsaw	8:30 X 8:00 R 8:00 = 8:30 X 8:30 8:00 RK 8:00
11	Boots 'n Slippers Country Twirlers EKC-O Squares Friendship Sqs. Geneva Lima Grand Squares Promenading B's Rochester Rollaways	Mike Callahan Curley Custer Ken Anderson Don Pratt Dick Casper Ron Fotch Ross Howell	Holy Cross School, 4488 Lake Ave., Rochester Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Kodak Park, Building 28 Carter Road Firehouse, Geneva, NY Lima Town Hall, Lima Gillman-Grant Community Center, Bergen Oakview School, Irondequoit	8:30 X 8:00 N 8:00 NRW 8:00 X 8:30 XJ 8:30 8:00 #
18	Boots 'n Slippers Country Twirlers EKC-O Squares Lima Grand Squares Promenading B's Web Spinners WYCO Promenaders	Gloria Roth Jim McQuade Jim Dutton Mike Callahan Ron Fotch Bill Wilcox Chip Kellogg	Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Kodak Park, Building 28 Lima Town Hall, Lima Byron-Bergen Elementary School, Bergen Klem Road School North, Webster Warsaw Elementary School, Warsaw	8:30 NX 8:00 Xi& 8:00 R 8:30 X 8:30 8:00 RX 8:00
25	EKC-O Squares Friendship Sqs. Geneva Lima Grand Squares Rochester Rollaways	NO DANCE Don Pratt NO DANCE Ed Foote	Carter Road Firehouse, Geneva, NY Oakview School, Irondequoit	8:00 X 8:00 #

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2	Boots 'n Slippers EKC-O Squares Lima Grand Squares Promenading B's Web Spinners	Chip Kellogg Chuck Stinchcomb Dick Casper Ron Fotch Bill Wilcox	Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Kodak Park, Building 28 Lima Town Hall, Lima Byron-Bergen Elementary School, Bergen Klem Road School North, Webster	8:30 X 8:00 NR 8:30 X 8:30 8:00 RK
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SATURDAY NOVEMBER 1977

5	Batavia Twirlers	Ron Fotch	John Kennedy School, Vine St., Batavia	8:00
	Country Twirlers(Live Band)	Jim McQuade	Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave.	8:00 HXi&
	Magic Squares	Bob Ellis	Manchester Elementary School - Route 21	8:00
	Swingin' Eights	Bruce Shaw	Hosea Rogers Middle School, 219 Northfield	8:30 X&
	Swinging BB's	Bob Brunshidle	Town Line School, Spencerport	8:30
12	Copy Cats	Mike Callahan	Bay View YMCA, Bay Rd., Webster	8:00
	Henrietta Friendship Sqs.	Ben McGilvery	Pinnacle Lutheran Church, 275 Pinnacle Rd.	8:00 RL
	Irondequoit Squares	Earl Turner	Laurelton School, Helendale Road	8:00
	Kuntry Kuzzins	Jon McNally	Kelly School, Newark	8:00
	Magic Squares	Bob Ellis	Community College of Finger Lakes (10th Anniver)	8:00 Q
19	Batavia Twirlers	Larry Dunn	John Kennedy School, Vine St., Batavia	8:00 R
	Magic Squares	Bob Ellis	Manchester Elementary School - Route 21	8:00
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	Henrietta Friendship Sqs.	Ben McGilvery	Pinnacle Lutheran Church, 275 Pinnacle Rd.	8:00 RL
	Irondequoit Squares	Bill Wilcox	Laurelton School, Helendale Road	8:00 Z
	Kuntry Kuzzins	Jon McNally	Kelly School, Newark	8:00
	Magic Squares	Bob Ellis	Manchester Elementary School - Route 21	8:00

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	Magic Squares	Bob Ellis	Manchester Elementary School - Route 21	8:00
	Rochester Rollaways	Chuck Stinchcomb	Oakview School, Irondequoit	8:00 #
	Swingin' Eights	Ken Boss	Hosea Rogers Middle School, 219 Northfield	8:30 X&
	Swinging BB's	Bob Brunshidle	Town Line School, Spencerport	8:30 C

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| A - Advanced Basics
Call 671-6311, info. | K - Guests Welcome | R - Rounds at 7:30 |
| B - Beginner Rounds at 7:30 | L - For recent Grads. &
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FEDERATION ROUND DANCES



NOVEMBER 1977

MONDAY

7	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Rd., Gates	7:30 Bez
14	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Rd., Gates	7:30 Bez
21	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Rd., Gates	7:30 Bez
28	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Rd., Gates	7:30 Bez

TUESDAY

8	Tecumseh Rounds	Slomcenski's	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00
22	Tecumseh Rounds	Slomcenski's	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00

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13	Tecumseh Rounds	Slomcenski's	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00
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NOVEMBER 1977

WEDNESDAY

2	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:00 I
9	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:00 I
16	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:00 I
23	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:00 I
30	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:00 I

B - Beginner Rounds at 7:30 ez - EZ Rounds 8:45-10:30 I - Intermediate Basics 7:30



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NOVEMBER

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CLUB



NEWS



Batavia Twirlers

On a damp rainy night, October 1, twelve sets of Batavia Twirlers enjoyed their first dance of the season with Larry Dunn calling squares and rounds. Many familiar faces from Promenading Bees joined us. We were pleased to see our new members out there, dancing up a storm.

Again this year, the Cancer Dance was well attended by many enthusiastic dancers at Batavia High School. A big round of applause and thank you, go to Bill and Lorraine Parry and Ken and Helen Johnson for their fine job as Co-chairman of the dance. We do appreciate the fine calling and cueing from the following: Jerry Carmen, Jim Dutton, Ron Fotch, Bud Redman and Betty Carmen, The Degraives, The Reillys and The Wolcotts. They made the dance a huge success. THANKS SO MUCH FOLKS.

Batavia Twirlers will be guests of the Calico Squares, November 10 at Caledonia. Let's all travel to Caledonia for a great evening of dancing.

On November 5th, Ron Fotch and Betty Wolcott will be calling and cueing at John Kennedy School. Larry Dunn will be back with us on November 19th with Alabama Jubileers as our guests. Everyone come join us for fun and good dancing.

Virginia & Norman Lawrence



Belles & Beaus

Welcome back to our numerous European travelers. We are all glad to see that they returned safe and sound to the square dance fold.

The annual fall foliage hike, picnic and dance held at Mendon Ponds Park on October 23rd was enjoyed by the many who attended. We had a special surprise this year to have Art attend and share the calling with Stan Levandoski. The nature hike conducted by the Park staff was heightened by the beautiful foliage.

We have it from some good and reliable sources that the 18 couples in this years class are some of the best ever, especially since some are former dancers who have decided to return. Anyone desiring some relaxed dancing, and possibly even a little more education, would be well advised to attend on Wednesday. This should be the easiest year ever for those wanting a coveted angel badge.

October 31 was our annual club Halloween party with the traditional apple cider and doughnuts. There were many great getups.

We are extremely fortunate to have Bob Ellis calling for us November 14th. Bob is the full time caller for the Magic Squares in Manchester, the Skoi Yase club in Waterloo and the Naple Valley Squares in Naples. Come and have what we know will be a wonderful time.

Ellen and Jerry Linger

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Boots n' Slippers

Did you have trouble getting back into the swing of things after the summer? And all those good callers to start off with. Anyway, the geese gone, the winds howling, the world series over (and who won)? and on with "load the boat", we're on our way to a swinging start.

Thanks to all who came to our tureen supper - club and class. Did everybody get to meet everybody?

Glad to see Judy N. back dancing, after having her appendix out.

A suggestion to you all: keep yourselves closer together in your squares. You guys take 3 steps to make a call, my feet take 6 and by then I've already lost 3 counts. Thanks.

GLORIA ROTH is coming! She can get the whole floor dancing all with each other and still somehow come out even. Come and see what we mean Nov. 18th.

Our line up: Nov. 4 Mike Callahan
Nov. 11 Mike Callahan
Nov. 18 Gloria Roth

We do have black cat badges coming, we danced May 13 at Trail's End. Seems we need many phone calls and promises and excuses before we get them. Right RLV???

So, come dance with us,
Kay and Jerry Miller

P.S. Nov. 11 School closed - check with officers, where dance will be.

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Cloverleaf Squares

An enthusiastic class of more than five squares has begun learning basics under the excellent teaching of Mike Callahan. A big "Thank You" goes to the many club members who have volunteered to help out as "angels."

On November 6, Mike Callahan will be Master of Ceremonies for Cloverleaf Squares Amateur Caller's Night. Our aspiring callers and cuers are practicing long hours so it promises to be a good evening.

Jerry Carmen will be our guest caller on November 20 and Chip Kellogg will call for us on November 27.

The Triggers are invited as our guests on November 13.

Nominations for club officers for next year will be held on November 20 and elections will be held on December 11. Cloverleaf members -- if you are asked to run, please consider doing so. Responsible officers are important in maintaining a good club.

Why not start out the week right by joining Cloverleaf Squares and Mike Callahan on Sunday evenings 8:00 to 10:30 PM at the Lutheran Church of Concord, 485 Holmes Road.

Nancy Fraser

D O N ' T F O R G E T T O V O T E



Copy Cats

Boo

Black cats and pumpkins were the order of the day for the October 22 Halloween Dance with affable Bruce Shaw serving "tricks or treats" in his own inimitable fashion. Thanks for another fun time Bruce!


New Years Eve

It's not too early to start talking up and thinking about the New Year's Eve Party. Another first event for the Copy Cats! Dancing friends of the Copy Cats can contact any of the members for more details. Who will be baby 1978??

Questions and Answers

There are numerous queries from dancing friends asking about past preses genial Jim and Helen Fordham. Jim has had some foot problems but we hope he will be back with us soon. We miss you Jim and Helen!!

It was real nice to have Don and Eleanor Tarrant back dancing with us again.

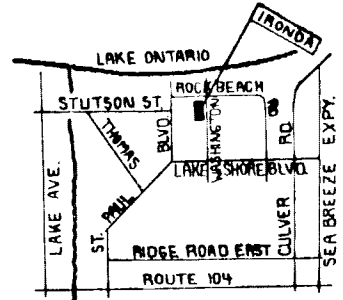
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CHALLENGE DANCING
IN THE ROCHESTER AREA

Recently we tooted over to Syracuse to attend SASDA'S Annual Fall Festival and danced in the advanced room to Ed Foote, Ron Schneider and George Jabbusch. The room was packed at all sessions as were the APD (All Position Dancing) workshops given twice each day. Advanced and challenge dancing continue to attract great interest and education about these levels of square dancing has been an on-going crusade of Ed Foote's, who has written voluminously on the subject. He gave us permission to quote from his writeups, so we'll do so, now and in the next few columns: Here is what he has to say about

Teaching Advanced level dancing:

It is assumed that people in advanced dancing understand and can dance club level material. This does not mean doing a call from only one or two memorized positions, but understanding the call so it can be done from all positions. There is nothing more ridiculous than to see people be able to dance a "square chain thru" or a "spin the windmill" and then break down on basics such as "circulate", "peel off", "slide thru", or "wheel and deal".

For example, dancers working advanced material should be able to do the following: (1) Circulate from waves of alternating sexes, left-hand waves, inverted lines (centers facing one way - end another), 8 chain thru, and trade-by positions; (2) Peel off from a starting double pass thru position, columns, and the Z formation (ends of wave fold - both right & left-hand waves); (3) Cast off from lines facing out and columns; (4) Slide thru when facing same sex; (5) Wheel and deal from facing lines.

In addition, dancers working advanced material are expected to know the Callerlab approved experimentals and currently popular club level calls. This includes:

- (1) Recycle from left-hand waves and mixed sexes;
- (2) Coordinate with mixed sexes doing the trade part and from left-hand columns;
- (3) Peel the top with opposite sexes turning 3/4, and with the arm turn being done with both right and left arms;
- (4) Roll being thoroughly understood so it can be done after any of numerous calls, not just memorized for after 2 or 3 calls.

These are only a few examples of how club level material should be expanded for advanced dancers to give thorough knowledge. All club level material should be expanded in this manner.

In addition to presenting material, callers working with advanced groups must inform dancers about styling, which often is not covered at club level. Specifically, this involves having the dancers take hands at the completion of every call and keeping the set small. Of the two, the former is most important because it will automatically result in keeping sets small.

These styling tips are not restricted to advanced dancing - good club-level dancers also follow them.

The above information is an excerpt from Ed Foote material with his permission.

George & Eileen Howard



Country Twirlers

As the autumn leaves have fallen and baseball season is over once again, we note it was a fun-filled month for all of us in Country Twirlers.

Gloria Roth made Friday, September 23rd a night to remember, and the Car Rally night turned out to be a very special one as well. Our thanks to the Winstead's and Mura's for the fabulous decorations. Much applause goes to Harry Gorman for the good sport he was for winning the "Door Prize." Sorry there was no car, Harry.

We are all looking forward to the Live Band Dance, Saturday, November 5th, with Jim McQuade calling to 'Jim Krupsners Band'. This will also be our Halloween dance with costumes optional and welcome.

Get well wishes go to Eileen Stackman who is on crutches with a fractured ankle. Hope to see you dancing soon Eileen.

It is the time of the year when the nominating committee will be looking for new board members. Please give this committee your support and if you can be of help, please let them know.

Until we square up again.

Frank and Nancy Austin



EKC-O Squares

The holidays sure have a way of creeping up on ya. Before you know it we all will be enjoying that "turkey feast" and as we should all year round, think about all we have to be thankful for--the list is unlimited.

As we look back our Welcome Back Dinner of prime rib was scrumptious and we enjoyed dancing the same evening to Orphie Easson and to Betty cueing the rounds. The committee did a fine job and many prizes were given out. Glenn Miller won the drawing and received a beautiful hand painted tray created by Harriett Klotzbach.

The open house was well attended by guests as well as members. Classes have started as of Sept. 21st Wednesdays from 8:00 PM until 10:30 PM at Elmgrove with Jim Dutton as the class instructor. After Oct. 5 the class will not be accepting any more people. Remember let's each of us help with the class when asked or sign up ahead when you know you are available to help. Thanks.

Our nominating committee is Gerry and Chuck Prister and Ruth and Bob O'Connor. They are busy getting together the nominations to fill the slate of officers and board members which is to be presented to the club on November 4th. If asked, please do consider the opportunity to be of service or if you know of someone who is enthused about being an active part of our club give their name to the committee. Okay? Okay.

Everyone is welcome to dance with us on Nov. 4th when we dance to Cliff Brodeur, On Nov. 11th to Ken Anderson, on Nov. 18th to Jim Dutton and remember NO DANCE on November 25th.

We have invited the Country Twirlers to be our guests on December 9th.

Happy Thanksgiving to all you dancers from all of us at EKC-O

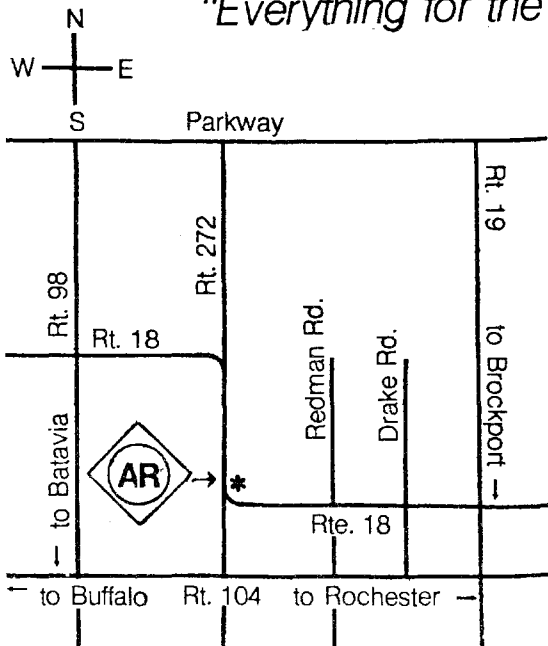
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Friendship Squares of Geneva

Friendship Squares of Geneva have started the year off with a bang with a rip-roaring Sampson Fall Festival! The weather wasn't too great, but the dancing was elegant, and the weekend was a great pleasure for everyone. Next year's Festival should be even greater. It'll be the third weekend in September, 1978. The camping is great, too, at Sampson, so come on and join us! Many thanks to all the workers.

Trinity Church hall is most pleasant for dances on a regular basis, and everyone is welcome any second or fourth Friday.

Keep in mind we're having Don Hanhurst from Wappingers Falls (where?) in January. You'll really enjoy his calling!

Watch for the ad describing the dance.

More next month,

Harry and Agnes Jurgens

Henrietta Friendship Squares

Our round and square dance classes are progressing well. We have many enthusiastic dancers this year.

The costumes were clever and original at our annual Halloween dance on October 22nd. A fun time was had by all.

Remember, we dance on the second and fourth Saturday of each month. Plan to join us on one of these nights. We'll guarantee a good time.

A happy Thanksgiving to each and every one of you.

Paul & Audrey Peterson



Genesee Dancers

SOMEBODY GOOFED! We sure did, and completely forgot the deadline date for the October news. Sorry about that --

Our Trail Back Dinner Dance on September 8th was a huge success with 105 couples attending. Ed and Ginny Penczek and Lionel and Mildred Courtemanche did their usual fine job on decorations for this festive occasion.

The new class is holding forth every Monday night at Brookside School, Brighton, under the training of Chuck Prister; while Gerry (everybody's darling) encourages it along. Try to stop by as "Angels" now and then.

Thursday, November 17th is guest caller night. We'll have James Adams of Clarks Summit, N.J., so come join us.

Word is that Dick Castor is home from the hospital and will welcome cards from all of us. We hope it won't be long until Dick and Helen can join us again on the dance floor.

Genesee Dancers is the home of many Dancing Grandparents, you know. Our Vice Presidents Mike and Anne Siconolfi are proud grandparents of a new baby girl; while Bob and Norine Callahan are receiving congratulations on their seventh! - also a baby girl.

See you Thursdays at the Green Lantern Inn.

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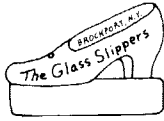
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Glass Slippers

Several Glass Slippers dancers attended the Syracuse Area Square Dancers Association (SASDA) festival on October 7 and 8. It was easy to spot the square dancers as they arrived at the hotel. Who else could come loaded down with so much stuff? Bags of petticoats, shoes to match, "funny clothes" in every hue and shade, and makings for the after parties, plus the necessities for daily living, filled the elevators, a few people managed to squeeze in too.

What an exciting sight it was to see the huge War Memorial floor filled with the swirling, swinging dancers in their gorgeous outfits. I can't remember ever having seen that many smiles all turned on at once.

Some non-dancing visitors have been coming to Glass Slippers lately. They're Brockport State P.E. majors who have been assigned the task of writing about this phenomenon called "modern square dancing." They have interviewed our caller, Ron Fotch, as well as class and club members. What do you suppose they write?

We have a great new class. Some club dancers have been joining class members in squares. Supporting them in this way is encouraging to the new dancers; and help us all get better acquainted.

Our special dance in November will be a surprise—a Turkey Surprise! It'll be a great night to join us in a square.

Meanwhile, keep dancing. It's good for you.

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Charles and Bea Genesee have gone to Las Vegas to seek their fortune.

Bob and Jean Weston are co-chairman of the Halloween party, October 29. Bill Wilcox was calling.

Bob and Vivian Bierre made arrangements for our yearly pilgrimage to Syracuse to dance with the Pairs and Squares.

Earl Turner is our guest caller for November 12.

Edd & Ginny

Jack of Hearts

The Jack of Hearts class in advanced dancing basic calls is well under way and is an enthusiastic group who are reported to be doing admirably. We look forward to dancing with them when our turn as "angels" comes up---we'll give you a first-hand report at that time. Keep up the good work, Ted et alle!

Meanwhile (back at the ranch) the club is enjoying their alternate week schedule of dances with the incomparable Ross on the first and third Wednesdays and workshopping current material and problem areas with Bob Gumtaw in the second and fourth weeks. We appreciate the interest and dedication of the Gumtaws who travel all the way from Buffalo to be with us each week. They typify the advanced dancer who is willing, even eager, to expend time and energy to help the upcoming dancers. The Gumtaws do this with grace and skill and we thank them.

Keep dancing gang!

George & Eileen Howard



Magic Squares

Magic Squares is celebrating its Tenth Anniversary and everyone is invited. It will be a special dance at the Community College of the Finger Lakes on Saturday, November 12, at 8:00 PM. We are looking forward to seeing a lot of our friends. Even if you haven't danced recently come on out and help us celebrate. An evening of fun and good food is promised for everyone.

The officers of Magic Squares were pleased to help with graduation of the new class in Victor on Monday, October 24. We all extend warm wishes and a big welcome to square dancing to this new club.

Saturday, November 26 will find us hosting a special dance for the Eddie Meath Christmas Penny Fund. Bill and Mary Ellen Petty will be chairmen and have promised us another enjoyable evening. Why not plan to join us and help us make life a little happier for the kids who have to be in the hospital.

Don't forget we dance every Saturday night and do our best to give you all a good time!

Bev and Tom Cheney



Merry Mixers

Old age, to the unlearned, is winter; to the learned, it is harvest time.

--Yiddish proverb.

A good, successful year is wished to two of our "Merry Mixers." Cay Jackson is now President of the Federation, and Pat Feigel is Vice-President. They are both terrific girls.

In the October issue of the "Promenader," we listed one class night to be on Thursdays at the Washington Irving School on Chili Avenue. Due to an uncontrollable situation, there will be no classes on Thursdays. This season, Friday nights are class nights at the Seneca Methodist Church.

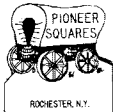
On the 7th of November, there will be nominations of officers for the 1978 year. Be sure to attend your club dance that evening and put in your bid for your next officers. If you do not take an active part in the nominations and elections, you have no reason to "squawk" if you are not satisfied with next year's happenings.

On the 14th of November, we will welcome Jon McNally as our guest caller.

"Happy Thanksgiving Day" to all on the 24th.

"Happiness is: Dancing with the Merry Mixers.

Margaret Lentine



Pioneer Squares

Halloween has come and gone. All the witches and goblins were present for our costume party. Even the refreshments disappeared. Our new class members really enjoyed their first adventure of the year. Speaking of our class, boy are they doing good. Only four weeks and they are beginning to look like pros already.

If there are any dancers out there that would like to earn fun dangles, come and join us the 3rd Tuesday of each month. We will be earning a different dangle each month. November will be the Mummy Badge. There will also be a dangle for Special Holidays, such as, the Turkey badge for attending our Thanksgiving dance on November 22nd. Guests are always welcome.

Randy and Betty Godden



Promenading B's

Goblins, witches, scarecrows, clowns and creatures came and went. Halloween is over and we're all looking forward to our Turkey Raffle Dance. If you haven't been before, this year will be better than ever. There will be pies, rolls, breads of all kinds and much more, including turkey. Your Thanksgiving dinner will be ready ahead of time. Don't forget the date, November 18 Ron Fotch, our caller, promises a lively dance.

Please note, we will be dancing at the Gilliam-Grant Community Center on November 11. It is across the road from the school we now dance at.

We hate to bring up the subject of those little white things, but in case the weather becomes too much to handle, you may call Ron Fotch at 548-2578 or Bob and Marilyn Dailey at 494-2102 to check about dance cancellations.

Have a nice Thanksgiving but don't get too stuffed that you can't dance.

Hope to see you at the B's

Dick and Donna Pringle



Rainbow Squares

The Rainbow Squares had a busy month of October and are planning more fun for the months ahead. The special event was an Octa Weener Fest which featured a dinner with knockwurst, sauerkraut, and German potato salad. Some of the fellows showed the proper Tyrolian spirit by wearing suspenders and short pants. This, of course, elicited the appropriate yodels from the ladies present.

Just to show that some of us wish to be serious dancers, our class night has been combined with a workshop for club members so that we may have more chance to learn new calls and review calls with which we are having difficulty. Hope Ken's patience and our feet wear out at the same time!

On November 16th we are planning a Sadie Hawkins Day dance. This night will be ladies choice and heaven help the gal who asks her husband to dance - she'll be shunned like Moonbeam McSwine. Should be lots of fun so hope many of you club dancers can join us.

We are again planning a New Year's Eve dance at Harper's Recreation Hall. Dancing starts at 9 PM, followed by a pot luck supper at midnight. Noise-makers and favors will be provided. Reservations in advance will be appreciated.

Our Annual Snowflake Ball will be held on January 6, 1978 at the Denonville School in Penfield. Mike Callahan will be the caller so save the date and plan on another fun night of dancing.

John and Joyce Tydings



Rochester Rollaways

The annual trek to "East Meets West," with three-fourths of our people participating, was as always a most enjoyable weekend. Lee Kopman and Bob Fisk are a great combination.

On November 11th, Gregory Howell's father Ross, will be calling for us.

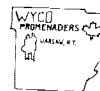
"Are you there - Dancing Lines?" well "Roar" and "Chew your gum," cause "Mr. Bigfoot" (Ed Foote, that is) will be coming to call our 19th Anniversary dance on November 25th.

Saturday night December 3rd we will have Chuck Stinchcomb coming to call for us.

Did you hear about the two turkeys who were talking in the barnyard? One turned to the other and said: "Boy am I getting stuffed." "The other one said; "Well, if you're not you soon will be."

"HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL"

Bob and Jeannette Mcagher



WYCO Promenaders

WYCO Promenaders have been active this Fall. We gave a demonstration at the Wyoming County Fair at Pike on August 23. We had several sets dancing in the new cattle barn. Many of the folks who gather at the Fair watched the dancing with Chip Kellogg calling. On Sunday September 11, we enjoyed a Barn Dance and Lamb Roast at Margaret and Glenn Bange's home. Ron Cole was the caller and Pat and Denny Swartz barbecued the lamb.

Open House was held on October 5. Classes are being held every Wednesday night at 8:00 PM at the Warsaw Elementary School. We'll have a dance on November 4 and on November 18 a Pot Luck Supper and dance starting at 6:30 with class members invited.

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Stay up with Jerry and watch the stars come out.



Swingin' Eights

Open House was a great success! We had seven and one half squares of guests that night. The demonstration by Bruce Shaw and the club members convinced thirty people to sign up for lessons. What an enthusiastic group they are! After only a couple of weeks of lessons, they are "looking good" and enjoying the fun of square dancing.

Ellie and Tom Anderson, Pat and Bob Allen, Bud and Fran McComber, Curly and Terry Crane and Bruce and Linda Ensigns enjoyed themselves at the Grape Stompers Ball at Naples. Bruce and Linda Ensigns won a electric coffee maker as a door prize. Because they had the biggest turnout, the Irondequoit Squares won a big coffee pot.

Long Ridge Mall was lucky to have the Cranes, Ensigns, Bryants and Ramsays give a square dance demonstration.

You know it's time to prepare for cold weather because Bud and Fran McComber closed up their trailer at Wellesly Island for the year.

Hot weather?! Well, ask Rita and Jack Kennelly. They're back from Florida where they enjoyed swimming in the ocean!

Among ninety-five people who toured Europe were thirty-five square dancers from clubs in Rochester, including our own Marge and Bob Berner and Terry and Bill Barnes. They enjoyed shopping and night clubs in London, Scotland and Ireland, and dancing to an English Caller in London.

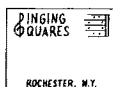
Following is our dance schedule:

November 19 - Dance at Hosea Rogers School,
the caller will be Bruce Shaw

December 3 - Dance at Hosea Rogers School
the caller will be Ken Boss

Happy Dancing

Joe & Loretta Giaconia



Singing Squares

September and October brought forth many visitors to our club dances. Most of them our good neighbors from area clubs and one couple from Arizona. We are delighted to have them join us, and hope they will come every week.

Dance dates and callers for November 2nd and 16th - Al Howe; 9th and 30th - Mike Callahan. The 16th is a Special Alumni Dance. We are inviting anyone who has ever been a member of "Singing Squares" in the past, to dig out their "Singing Squares" badge, dust it off, pin it on and come as guests of "Singing Squares" to Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Rd., Wednesday, November 16th at 8:00 PM. We promise you a warm welcome and a lot of good dancing.

There are three special days on the calendar this month, November 8th (Election Day) let us remember it is a privilege and our duty to vote; November 11th (Veteran's Day) let us not forget those who gave their lives in battle so we could live in freedom; and November 24th (Thanksgiving Day) let us give thanks to God for all our bounteous blessings.

Hope to "spin the top" with you soon.

John and Lorene Fratta

Swinging BB's

Fall has really arrived. Our Open House in September started this season in full swing. It was great to see all our members back, plus many new faces.

Our Tuesday Beginner's Class is the biggest in years. We encourage club members to come lend a helping hand to new members like the older members did when we needed help.

November 5th will be a Pot Luck affair, with a new twist - the men will cook the pots. Men must bring certification (written) from their better half that they did it with their own little hands. All former club members are invited to come to this gala affair, so if you know of any, please give them a call.

The VanAlstynes and Howards have just joined the New Grandparents Club, so next time you see them in your set, ask them about the new grandchild, and watch them come out with the pictures.

Next time you talk to Bob or Dorothy Brunshidle, ask if they had an interesting summer. I am sure you won't be disappointed.

Be seeing you,

Ernie and Dottie Willett



Swinging Singles

Welcome!! to the new square-dancers-to-be who joined our class October 3rd. We hope they dance up a storm, make new friends, and enjoy.

We dipped into the chocolate, the strawberry and the butterscotch toppings at our Monday Sundae Social sponsored by Friendly's on October 3. One member summed it up succulently, "YUM!!"

Mystery ride. Who knows where? Do you? Oct. 29.

There'll be witches and goblins and ghosts for sure. (Brrr) Perhaps Little Bo Peep will appear with her sheep! So strain your brain. Tonight it's okay to be insane! All you need is a costume, a punch of enthusiasm and the dancing feeling. Halloween Night October 31.

Then....get your appetite in gear. Prepare ahead of time (fast?) for the spectacular Thanksgiving Feast. St. Nicholas Hall, November 21.

Other dates to reserve include our Christmas Party on December 17 and New Year's Eve celebration with Cloverleaf Squares on December 31.

Here's Smiling Until Monday!

Kathy Schwartz



Tecumseh Squares

Halloween should be fun, it usually is. Come over and see what tricks we're up to this year! One trick I won't pull is forgetting about Stan Burdick. He will be with us on November 29th. He is terrific! I hope that all of you will come out and have a terrific (not Trickific---that halloween!) time. Stan is well known in this area and calls a most enjoyable evening of dancing.

We hear that our two classes in square and round dancing are progressing well. The square dancers know more than Ed and I already and Bob and Nors tell us that their dancers do too! (But if they know which directions to go on turning two steps, they are way ahead of us!).

If you want to send an individual gift to either of our Indian Children, please check the bulletin board or see Gay and Bill Sedor for an address. They must be in the mail early to reach them by Christmas. We hope that Ava and Henry and their families have a good Christmas and a word from us will help that. All of the 50/50 profits go to support these children.

We hear that Ernie and Beth Haus have a marvelous set of officers for us for 1978. With that bunch, we'll have a very fun and busy year.

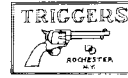
Congratulations are in store for Judy and Jack. We hear that they will be wed on Thanksgiving. We wish them health, wealth and happiness....and a continuing association with us at Tecumseh.

Thanksgiving will be here at the end of the month. Ed hopes you all enjoy your turkey on Thursday...Friday... Saturday...Sunday...Monday....et all!

Don't forget....STAN BURDICK....NOV. 29th

See you,

Ed and Sue Sulewski



Triggers

The miserable, rainy weather did not dampen the spirits of those attending our annual picnic at Hamlin Beach. Naturally, with Bernie Sabernick as chairman, it was a smashing success and we all had a ball. With Bob Maurice planning such original games as pantomimes of "way out figures for square dancing" and involving the whole family in making the most creative designs out of paper clips, bottle caps, string and paper no-one minded being indoors. The food was delish, and my only complaint was that I don't have a bigger stomach!

Several couples earned their Squirrel Badge. We sure have a lot of "nuts" in our club!

Myron and Peg did an excellent job keeping everyone entertained with not only square dances but also line dances and mixers.

Our guest night on October 18th included members from the Belles 'N Beaus, Promenading B's, Swinging Singles, Glass Slippers and Web Spinners. We hope they all had a good time and will join us again.

November 22nd is our next guest night and the following clubs have been invited: Batavia Twirlers, Genesee Dancers, Merry Mixers, Swinging BB's, and Kuntry Kuzzins.

Sylvia and Bert Butler left for England the end of October. We hope they have a wonderful time.

It was fun guessing "Who's Who" at our Halloween Party. The refreshments were great, thanks to Helen and Henry Allen.

Keep Swinging,

Jeanne & Bob McConkey



Twirl-A-Rounds

Hot Hash?? Not exactly but the Intermediate Basic and Brush-up from 7:30 - 8:00 has been a well received feature of each nights dancing. Pass the word ALL November dances will include the Intermediate Basic and Brush-up session - - Join us.

The President's Ball was a great success, thanks to all past officers that attended. We hope you will all come and visit us again real soon. How sharp those ladies and gents all looked in formal dress. A special thanks to Una Shaw for helping and also making the corsages. Marge and Don Tracy for making the silhouette Mrs. Presidents Doris and George Hagberg for letting us use the President pictures.

Congratulations to Wayne and Gloria Saylor. Can you believe they are grandparents? And it's sugar and spice and everything nice - a girl. Keep dancin' Gramps!

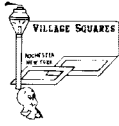
Nominations are now open for President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. If you want to volunteer or have an idea see someone from the nominating committee, Don and Connie Durbins, Carolyn Deitrich and Sandy Spadoni.

Special dance for October was the Halloween dance Wednesday, October 26. "No Special Attire" but everyone had a good time.

P.S. Christmas Dance is December 14 - Save the date. More news on this one later.

See you 'round.....

Bernie & Judydel Hinkson



Village Squares

The pot luck supper was super but our luck went to pot because suddenly there was the Ghost man doing a round dance! And if bad luck wasn't enough then we haven't got any luck at all because Bernie did a square. Now I'm not saying they got mixed up but how can you do a turning two step to a hash record? And when Dick says "all eight to the middle and twinkle thru to reverse"- sounds like something naughty to me! That combination of great food and swell people translates into good times.

We will be having an "Old Timers" reunion on November 21st. You don't have to be ancient to attend - anyone who has ever danced here is invited back. Should be fun to see some of those forgotten faces.

Our November 13th, (yes my child that is a Sunday) from 2 'till 5, KIP GARVEY of national renown will host our Autumn Twirl Away, Again, we request that you refrain from staring at the guy parking cars - on a black man it's called an "Afro" - on him it's a "Polo."

On a serious note Dick Castor has undergone an operation for lung cancer. Dick has been a mainstay of our group since it's inception and is well known thru-out many of the Rochester clubs. Words do not convey our sense of concern for both he and Helen. Our groups' collective prayers for speedy and complete recovery go out to these people who mean so much to us.

Cliff and Diane Gollus



Wayne Westerners

No matter what the weather-
Be it rain or sun,
Square dancers come from miles around
To join the dancing fun -
Square dancers are crazy!

It never seems to matter -
If ice is forming fast -
If snow is piling higher -
Or rain is going to last -
Square dancers are nutty!

Sometimes the weather's muggy -
Too hot to move at all -
Square dancers sweat the night away
Enjoying every call!
Square dancers are happy!

Sometimes it seems impossible
To dance a figure right -
Instead of getting angry -
They laugh instead of fight -
Square dancers are funny!

When Square Dancers get together
Square dancing is the theme -
They eat and drink and live it,
It enters all their dreams.
Square dancers are impossible!

Square dancing is a torment,
A torture and a fright,
An exercise that's fun to take,
A glory -- a delight!
Square dancing - WE LOVE IT!

(Please see next column)

How fast the time flies! October is gone already - it seems that it has hardly started! (It really has only started, but by the time you read this it will be November).

The Wayne Westerners had a full month - with the Apple Harvest dance on the 20th with six clubs invited as guests.

The Hallowe'en dance was our yearly pilgrimage to the Wayne County Home. This started as a gesture of good will to bring cheer to shut-ins, but has ended up bringing us much more than we give.

From now on the pace will become faster and more furious with all of the holiday excitement crowding in..have a happy Thanksgiving, everyone!

The Hales



Web Spinners

The Web Spinners launched the new season with an opening dance on September 9. In spite of a last minute change in location, we had an excellent turnout. Then, Jean and Harvey Schweiger made it a perfect evening by inviting the gang back to their lovely home for more refreshments.

What an Open House we had! It was great to look out on that floor and see so many happy faces learning allemande left and do sa do. From this we now have a great class going. We welcome these people to the great world of Western Square Dancing.

We want to remember our people who are under the weather - Ernie Luke, Irma Hallauer, and Don Ferguson. Our best wishes and prayers are with you all.

Web Spinners are initiating a program of all singing calls on the following dates: October 21, January 27, March 31, and May 21. Hope that everyone will join us at these dances for an evening of fun and relaxed dancing. Mark the dates on your calendars.

Keep dancing.

Bill and Dot Chambers

Which Way Whirlers

The Which Way Whirlers had a dandy dance on September 10 with Dan Dedo, and we wish to thank every one who came to make this dance a success, and all who made our refreshment table look like a banquet, it was a wonderful evening.

Off to England, Ireland and Scotland, to dance filled vacation went the Webers, Coopers and Waltons, how wonderful, could one ask for more?

The Lemleys and Johnsons, went to the Grape Stompers Ball, where our caller Gary, called along with Bruce Shaw. The Lemleys were lucky enough to win a "Mr. Coffee", now we are looking for a dance, where we can win a pound of coffee.

Our round dance cuer and wife have been off learning new dances again. This time to Niagara Falls.

And while all this was going on, back home Bonnie and Butch presented the world with a tiny little boy. Congratulations and much joy.

Come and dance with us, we would love to have you.

See you on a corner,

Bob and Mermie Lemley



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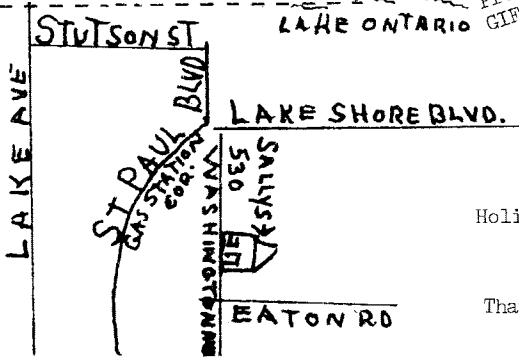
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Happy Thanksgiving	27	28	29	30			

CALLERLAB

---FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE---

In examining the MAINSTREAM PROGRAM published by CALLERLAB, several questions arise which need to be discussed by callers, clubs and other organizations. The following should serve as a starting point.

1. As leaders and callers, what amount of time should be spent in a formal instruction period to train the dancers properly to go from non-dancer to club level (MAINSTREAM) dancing?
2. Are we expecting the new dancer to learn too much choreographic material in too short a time? (CALLERLAB recommends 41 weeks of two hours per week).
3. As club officers, are we requiring the caller/instructor to teach the basics in too short a time just to get the new dancers graduated into the club?
4. Are we indirectly causing drop outs by asking dancers to rush into something with which they do not feel comfortable?
5. Are we asking our callers to call a dance at a "higher" plateau of choreographic material at regular dances when less than 80% of the dancers are able to cope with this more advanced and complicated material?
6. As callers, are we pressuring the clubs and dancers to move to a "level" where square dancing loses some of its appeal as a recreational and social activity?
7. Are we, as callers and leaders, forcing dancers to attend every session in order to be able to keep up? If a dancer drops out for a couple of months, how do they get back into the swing of things? Must they take a review session?
8. Are we forcing people to shun this activity because it takes too much time to learn and to keep up?

We solicit your comments on these questions. We would ask that you discuss them at your clubs, dancer association meetings, caller association meetings and any leadership training sessions you may conduct during the year.

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